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| <b>Examiner-Initiated Interview Summary</b> | <b>Application No.</b> | <b>Applicant(s)</b> |
|   | 09/896,771             | SHORTER ET AL.      |
|   | <b>Examiner</b>        | <b>Art Unit</b>     |
|   | Robert M. Pond         | 3625                |

**All Participants:**

**Status of Application:** Abandoned

(1) Robert M. Pond. (3) \_\_\_\_\_.

(2) Richard A. Hinson, Esq., #47,652. (4) \_\_\_\_\_.

**Date of Interview:** 23 June 2006

**Time:** 3:25 PM

**Type of Interview:**

Telephonic  
 Video Conference  
 Personal (Copy given to:  Applicant     Applicant's representative)

Exhibit Shown or Demonstrated:  Yes  No

If Yes, provide a brief description:

**Part I.**

Rejection(s) discussed:

None

Claims discussed:

None

Prior art documents discussed:

None

**Part II.**

**SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW DESCRIBING THE GENERAL NATURE OF WHAT WAS DISCUSSED:**

*Confirmed: no reply to the office action was filed. Applicant abandoned the case.*

**Part III.**

It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview directly resulted in the allowance of the application. The examiner will provide a written summary of the substance of the interview in the Notice of Allowability.  
 It is not necessary for applicant to provide a separate record of the substance of the interview, since the interview did not result in resolution of all issues. A brief summary by the examiner appears in Part II above.

(Examiner/SPE Signature)

(Applicant/Applicant's Representative Signature – if appropriate)